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Presentation of Khillats to His Excellency the Governor of Madras by His Highness Sri Jagadguru Chandra Sekhara Bharathi Swamigal Avergal.

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Office of the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,
Bangalore, 21st January 1949.

af. 4.55 pm

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

Visit of H.E. the Governor of Madras,
to Sringeri.

I have the honor to invite kind reference to the wireless message sent to you on the 20th January 1949, by the Deputy Commissioner, Chickmagalur District, intimating the desire of His Holiness Sri Jagadguru Chandrasekhara Bharathi Swamigalavaru in the matter of presentation of khillats, and offer of Tea to His Excellency, at Sringeri, on the 23rd January 1949.

I send, enclosed, a copy of D.O. letter No.P.C.182/48-49 dated 20th January 1949, received from the Deputy Commissioner, Chickmagalur District, requesting orders of Government for the acceptance of the desire of His Holiness. I request the favour of immediate orders of Government, in the matter.

To avoid delay, orders of Government may be kindly communicated, direct, to the Deputy Commissioner, Chickmagalur District, and the Officer in-Charge of Sri Sringeri Mutt, Sringeri.

A copy of letter No.H.C.29/48-49 dated 20th January 1949, of the Officer in-Charge, Sringeri, regarding the details of arrangements made for the reception of His Excellency, at Sringeri, under instructions from His Holiness, is also sent herewith, for information.

Yours faithfully,

Muzrai Commissioner.

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The wireless message has been sent, and confirmed by a post cy. The connected file has been sent to the Dy Secy.

Chief Secy 21/1/49

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Wireless Message dated 20th January 1949 from the Deputy Commissioner, Chikmagalur District, to the Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore. (Copy with compliments, to the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.)

Sringeri Mutt Authorities want me to communicate to you that His Holiness desires to present Khillets to His Excellency's Family and also wishes to offer them Tea in Indian Style in Chandramouleswara Thotti after interviewing His Holiness and visit to temples. This may perhaps be accepted.

"Copy"

For Muzrai Commissioner.

D.O. letter No.P.C.182/48-49 dated 20th January 1949 from the Deputy Commissioner, Chickmagalur District, to the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

I am duly in receipt of your letter No.Nl.788/48-49 dated 17th January 1949 regarding the honours to be shown in connection with the visit of His Excellency the Governor of Madras to Sringeri. Accordingly, instructions have been issued to the Officer in-Charge, Sringeri, that Temple Honours should be arranged on a par with those shown to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

I confirm the wireless message sent to you today in the matter of presentation of Phillets and offer of Tea to His Excellency after visit to the temples and request you kindly to obtain acceptance of the same and communicate to me early so as to enable me to make further arrangements. A copy of the wireless message sent to you is herewith enclosed for your kind information.

"Copy"

For Muzrai Commissioner.

Letter No.H.C.29/48-49 dated 20th January 1949 from the Officer-in-Charge of Sri Sringeri and its properties, Sringeri, addressed to the Deputy Commissioner, Chickmagalur District.

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Under instructions from His Holiness, the Jagadguru, I beg to submit the following local programme for your kind information and approval or other orders. If necessary, the Muzrai Commissioner and the Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore may be kindly consulted.

23-1-1949.

11-45 A.M. Arrival at Sringeri T.B.

11-45 to 12.00 Noon Rest.

12.00 Noon Procession in the open car to the Mutt. Presentation of Mutt honours at the pendal at the entrance to the Town near the Jayapura Road Junction. Presentation of Garlands at the Municipal Pendal by the Municipal Vice-president.

12-15. Arrival in Narasimha Vana and visit to Their Holinesses in Sri Satchidananda Vilas. Visit to Temples. Indian Tea of the Mutt in Chandra mouleswara Thotti. Return to the Travellers' Bungalow.

I have submitted copies of this letter to the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore, Bangalore and to the Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore for their kind information. I may state below a few more details that cannot be conveniently embodied in the programme.

There will be a pendal at the Jahagir boundary. Sowcar Sri Kavilkodige Subba Rao will present garlands to the Royal Party at the boundary Pendal and the Revenue Officer will be present there. At the junction where the Travellers' Bungalow road meets the main road, there will be a pendal. I will be present at the T.B. The towns people desire that His Excellency and party may come in an open car in procession. If I can come in advance, I will be at the pendal put up at the entrance to the town and present mutt honours and Purna Kumba on behalf of the Mutt. In the pendal put up in front of the Municipal Office, the Municipal Vice-president will present garlands on behalf of the Municipal Councillors. From there the party proceeds by car to Sri Vidyashankara Swami Temple with in the Mutt compound and leaves the cars there. Afterwards they cross the river by Jangal after getting down the steps and reach bathing ghat on the other side of the river. The Narasimhvana where Their Holinesses reside commences from there. The interview takes place in Sri Satchidananda Vilasa Building in front of Sri Chandramouleswara Swami along with presentation of Khillats and Phalamanthrakshatha. On their way back from Narasihmavana, Sri Sharadamba and Sri Vidya Shankara Temples may be visited. Afterwards there will be India Tea of the Mutt in Sri Chandramouleswara Thotti in the Mutt compound. After Tea the party returns to the Travellers' Bungalow.

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For Muzrai Commissioner.